

Recap of April 1st Weekly Meeting

By David L Pruneau

President Cindy welcomed everyone to this week's meeting. There were no guests in attendance this week.

Happy Bucks and Announcements

Frank Mancuso announced the PanCan Purplestride Walk on the Detroit River on April 26th at 8:30 am. This fundraiser is intended to raise funds for Pancreatic Cancer Research. Frank's wife, Traci, is a 10-year pancreatic cancer survivor. You can join Traci's Team for the event or make a donation by clicking here: <u>Traci's Tenacious PanCan Team - Pancreatic Cancer Action Network</u>.

Tom reminded those who are sponsoring a game for Bunny Bingo to complete the payment process.

Carole announced that Bunny Bingo has received the state license already (no worries). They already have reservations for 80 and will sell out shortly. You can still sign up to volunteer for the event: **Bunny Bingo 2025** Don't forget the MJR popcorn!!

Julie announced an upcoming open house with the Easter Bunny at the WorkSkills site.

Nancy has a corrected email from Pam: <u>PamelaConley007@gmail.com</u>

Guest Speaker



Terry Simpson introduced this week's speaker, Gary Childers, the chaplain for the Livingston County Jail's "Reach the Forgotten" ministry. Gary is a former Livingston County police detective. The Livingston County program is the largest in the state and country. There are presently 35 ministries in 35 jail sites around the state. The "Reach the Forgotten" ministry provides Christian services to inmates as well as counseling and therapy. Each ministry is led by a chaplain and as many as 50 volunteers at each site. Besides Sunday services, the ministry provides Bible Studies, one-on-one counseling and addiction recovery assistance. The program is totally dependent on donations for its operations.

There will be an Open House for "Reach the Forgotten" on May 1st from 6:00pm to 8:30 pm at the Community Bible Church in Brighton.

In honor of the first of April; What is the April Fool's Lucky Card in the deck? THE JOKER.

And for Easter: Why was the Easter Bunny hired for the job? He had the most Egg Perience!

Why is the Easter Bunny so lucky? He has 4 Rabbits' Feet!

50/50 Raffle

The pot has grown to \$200. Still looking for the queen of Hearts. Three drawings and no winners this week.





Club Meeting

Brighton Meets at Brighton Community Ctr. 555 Brighton St Brighton, MI 48116-1472 Time: Tuesday at 12:15 PM